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| Implementations: | |
| Attachment(s): | See Chad's Trans Comm Rpt attachment |
| Item: Administrative Rule Approvals – Tawnya Lang, UDOT Motor Carriers | |
| Discussion: | <p>Since our last meeting there were 15 rules up for review. Those 15 have been condensed to nine rules. We would eventually like to reduce that number to five. Five rules have gone final. They are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • R909-1 Our safety rules – adopt federal regulations (FMCSR's) Final on 1/10/12. • R909-2 Final 11/21/11 – The Utah Trucking Guide adoption. • R909-3 Bus Standard Rules – Final on 8/25/11 having to do with bus advertising placement rules. • R909-19 – Tow Truck Rules – After the August meeting an informal meeting was held and suggestion was made to include cash and credit cards in the life essential definition. The bill sponsor asked that those not be included in the definition and the rule was finalized 2/07/12. • R909-75 Haz Mat regulations – final on 1/10/12. • Amending Utah rules to include new Federal rules on use of hand held phones and the new Hours of Service rules. We can currently enforce on interstate, but if adopted, we can enforce rules intrastate as well. The Hand Held rule allows blue tooth use and CB radio use is not affected. The HOS rule has two parts, some go into effect on 2/27/12 and the rest on July 13, 2013. We need a vote to adopt these new regulations into R909-1. |
| Action Item: | The board approved the adoption of R909-1 changes. |
| Results & Implementations: | None |
| Attachment(s): | See Summary of rule change adoptions attachment |
| Item: Opportunity for 511 / UDOT Traffic App - Lisa Miller, UDOT TOC | |
| Discussion: | Lisa shared a presentation about the new UDOT Traffic App and 511. She explained the opportunity to include a freight module in the system. Other states are beginning to take advantage of this technology, i.e. Colorado posts chain law information. |
| Action Item: | Ideas for Lisa to include in a freight App module or 511. |
| Results & Implementations: | None |
| Attachment(s): | See Lisa Miller Presentation attachment |
| Item: Truck Smart / Drivers Ed Outreach programs – Steve Goodrich | |
| Discussion: | Steve shared recent discussions in the division to reach out to more schools and their driver ed program to include Truck Smart in their education program and the possibility to use the industry across the state to adopt a school (bring a truck, provide a guest speaker like a safety manager or driver). This could have a much farther reach than it does presently. Jeff said they had dabbled with this for years. Duane committed his support of drivers and trucks for the program. Jeff asked about getting this into the regular Drivers Ed curriculum and Ahmed suggested we reach out to the Traffic and Safety group to see what Zero Fatalities is doing in this area and work to partner with them. |
| Action Item: | Steve will reach out to Robert Hull and the schools for more information. |
| Results & Implementations: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
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| MONTHLY UPDATES | |
| Item: UHP, Lt Bruce Pollei | |
| Discussion: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We concluded our TACT program and follow-up study. The program was a four pronged approach, 1) Study, 2) Education (TV, radio, print and billboards) 3) enforcement (between 6th So and 106th So.), and 4) Follow-up study with U of U, all to change driver behavior. Great success, findings include an increase in public knowledge, from 43% to 65%. And a decrease in negative interactions with cars vs. CMVs, with a crash rate reduction of 7% in that corridor. We will spread TACT to different areas of the state and rather than a week long activity, we will stage day long events in outlying areas. Grateful for carriers who provided vehicles for us – couldn't have done this without them. We appreciate the relationships we have in Utah. |
| Action Item: | None |
| Results & Implementations: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
| Item: Utah Trucking Association, Terry Smith | |
| Discussion: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UTA Convention May 9-11 at the St. George Dixie Center. Next round of training classes are starting up soon. Truck Driving Championships are June 8-9, the 2013 National TDC will be held in Salt Lake City at the Salt Palace. Thanks to all of you here and your support of the industry, we couldn't do what we do without your support. It is a great relationship. |
| Action Item: | None |
| Results & Implementations: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
| Item: FMCSA, Bob Kelleher | |
| Discussion: | Not Available |
| Action Item: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
| Item: FWHA, Kelly Lund | |
| Discussion: | New Transportation bill – MAT 21 – next drop dead date is end of March - \$60 billion bill. Thanks to all who provided information entered in to FWHA system, all info is in now. |
| Action Item: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
| Item: Utah State Tax Commission, Kevin Park | |
| Discussion: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Working hard on the registrant only/registant # project. New position, now Deputy Director of the DMV. |
| Action Item: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |
| Item: Associated General Contractors, Rich Thorn | |
| Discussion: | Not Available |
| Action Item: | None |
| Attachment(s): | None |

